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SUBJ: SECURITY PROTECTION AFFORDED PUBLIC ACCESS AREAS AT OVERSEAS

POSTS

REF: STATE 271528, 298805 AND 210312

IN RESPONSE TO REFTELS FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED. PARAGRAPHING FOLLOWS FORMAT SUGGESTED IN STATE 271528:

I. A. PROPERTY - GOVERNMENT-OWNED CHANCERY. USIS IS HOUSED WITHIN THE CHANCERY AND WILL BE AFFECTED BY THE SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS. USIS PORTIONS ARE IDENTIFIED ON INDIVIDUAL ITEMS BELOW.

- B. PHYSICAL SECURITY BARRIERS -
- 1. INSTALL ROLLDOWN STEEL SHUTTER WITH APPROPRIATE LOCK HARDWARE AT MAIN ENTRANCE TO DENY EASY ENTRY IN CASE OF ATTACK. ESTIMATED COST \$2500.00.
- 2. INSTALL NEW PARTITION AND DOORS CONTAINING BULLETPROOF GLASS AT EXTERIOR BUILDING LINE COMPLETE WITH "BRUTE" ELECTRIC LOCK. ESTIMATED COST \$7500.00.
- 3. INSTALL NEW PARTITION AND DOORS CONTAINING BULLETPROOF GLASS AT INTERIOR ENTRANCE LINE COMPLETE WITH ELECTRIC LOCK. ESTIMATED COST \$7500.00.

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RM REMOVE PRESENT INSET INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR ENTRANCEWAY

GLASS PARTITIONS AND DOORS. ESTIMATED COST \$1000.00.

- 5. INSTALL ARMOR ON DOOR OF DRESSING ROOM IN COM OFFICE TO PRO-VIDE EMERGENCY SAFEHAVEN. ESTIMATED COST \$200.00.
- 6. INSTALL MECHANICAL CYPHER LOCKS ON TEN STAIRWAYS DOORS TO RESTRICT ACCESS TO OFFICIAL PERSONNEL ONLY. WORK TO BE DONE BY EMBASSY OR RTC PERSONNEL.
- 7. INSTALL ELECTRIC CYPHER LOCK ON REAR DOOR TO CHANCERY TO RESTRICT ENTRY TO OFFICIAL PERSONNEL ONLY. WORK TO BE DONE BY EMBASSY OR RTC PERSONNEL.
- 8. INSTALL KEY OR CARD-OPERATED GATE AT ENTRANCE TO PARKING LOT TO DENY ACCESS TO UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES. ESTIMATED COST \$1500.00.
- 9. REDESIGN OF ENTRANCEWAY REQUIRES THE RELOCATION OF THE CONSULAR WAITING ROOM TO AN AREA ADJACENT TO THE ENTRANCE. ACCESS WILL BE PROVIDED THROUGH A DOORWAY LOCATED BETWEEN THE INNER AND OUTER ENTRANCE DOORS. THE MOVE OF THE WAITING ROOM REQUIRES ALMOST A 100 PERCENT CHANGE IN ALL OFFICE LOCATIONS ON THE FIRST FLOOR. MAJOR RESULTANT CONSTRUCTIONS CHANGES ARE:
- A. REMOVING 5 WALLS
- B. CONSTRUCTING 4 WALLS
- C. CLOSING 5 DOORWAYS
- D. OPENING 2 DOORWAYS
- E. CONVERT UNUSED ENTRANCEWAY TO OFFICE SPACE
- F. MOVING OF OFFICE FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT, TELEPHONES, TELETYPE MACHINE, ETC.
- G. OBTAINING NEW SMALLER SIZE OFFICE DESKS FOR TWO CONSULAR OFFICES
- $\ensuremath{\mathsf{H}}.$ Obtaining new waiting room furniture to provide increased confidential

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SEATING CAPACITY SINCE USE OF WAITING ROOM WILL BE EXPANDED TO INCLUDE ALL VISITORS.

E. CONSTRUCTION OF SOUNDPROOF CUBICLE FOR TELETYPE MACHINE.

ESTIMATED COST \$15,000.00. USIS SHARE IS ESTIMATED AT 25 PERCENT.

C. WINDOW PROTECTION

- 1. INSTALLATION OF BULLETPROOF GLASS IN NEW ENTRANCE PARTITION AND DOORS DISCUSSED, AND COST INCLUDED, IN B.2 AND B.3 ABOVE.
- 2. INSTALLATION OF BULLETPROOF GLASS IN NEW SECURITY CONTROL CENTER (SCC) DISCUSSED, AND COST INCLUDED IN, B.1 BELOW.
- 3. INSTALLATION OF BULLETPROOF GLASS IN NEW WAITING ROOM COUNTER DISCUSSED, AND COST INCLUDED IN, G.2 BELOW.
- 4. COMPLETE INSTALLATION OF MYLAR ON A FEW REMAINING WINDOWS. ESTIMATED COST \$1500.00.
- 5. INSTALL STEEL GRILLS, CONSTRUCTED TO DEPARTMENT SPECIFICATIONS, TO PROTECT HEATING AND VENTILATION DKCTING AT VARIOUS EXTERIOR LOCATIONS. ESTIMATED COST \$2500.00.
- 6. INSTALL HEAVY DUTY EXPANDED WIRE MESH SCREEN ON STEEL FRAME OVER WINDOW OF TELEPHONIST AREA ON GROUND FLOOR BY REAR ENTRANCE TO DENY EASY ACCESS TO DESTRUCTION OF TELEPHONE EQUIPMENT. ESTIMATED COST \$75.00.
- D. LOCAL GUARD FORCES NO CHANGES NECESSARY.
- E. MARINE SECURITY GUARDS NO CHANGES NECESSARY.
- F. TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT.

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1. PERSONNEL FROM THE REGIONAL TECHNICAL CENTER, FRANKFURT,

ARE SCHEDULED TO INSTALL A CCTV SYSTEM COVERING THE REAR EXTERIOR OF THE BUILDING AND THE NEW WAITING ROOM. POST IS REQUILND TO CONSTRUCT TWO CCTV TOWERS AND RUN CABLES IN CONDUIT FROM CAMERA LOCATIONS TO SCC. ESTIMATED COST \$4000.00.

- 2. INSTALL CHUBB "RESCUMATIC" EMERGENCY ESCAPE MECHANISMS ON SECOND AND THIRD FLOOR. ESTIMATED COST \$350.00.
- 3. INSTALL EMERGENCY ALARM SYSTEMS TO PROVIDE ALERT NOTIFICATION IN BOTH DIRECTIONS BETWEEN EXECUTIVE SUITE AND SCC AND CONSULAR OFFICES AND SCC, WITH MONITOR IN RSO OFFICE SO THAT MARINE OR RECEPTIONIST CAN ALERT PERSONNEL OF OFFENSIVE ACTIVITY AT RECEPTION AREA AND EXECUTIVE AND CONSULAR PERSONNEL CAN ALERT MARINE OF OFFENSIVE ACTIVITY IN THEIR AREAS. ESTIMATED COST \$4000 00
- 4. INSTALL PANIC ALARM TO REAR EXIT FOR USE IN EVENT ANYONE IS CAUGHT BETWEEN OUTER DOOR AND "BUZZER-OPERATED" INNER DOOR. ESTIMATED COST \$70.00.
- G. LOBBY CONTROLS AND EQUIPMENT
- 1. THE EMBASSY HAS BEEN ADVISED BY THE RTC, FRANKFURT, THAT PLANS FOR COMPLETE REARRANGEMENT OF THE MAIN ENTRANCE AREA, INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW ARMORED SECURITY CONTROL CENTER, ARE BEING PREPARED AND WILL BE SUBMITTED IN THE TECHNICAL SERVICES REPORT COVERING THE RECENTLY COMPLETED RTC TEAM'S VISIT. WHILE CONFIDENTIAL

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WE HAVE NOT RECEIVED THESE DETAILED PLANS, WE DO KNOW THAT THE SCC WILL BE AN ARMORED COUNTER AREA, WITH REAR ENTRY THROUGH MARINE NCOIC OFFICE, CONTAINING VARIOUS LOCK RELEASES, ALARM MONITORS, CCTV MONITOR SCREENS, SPEAKER SYSTEM TO ALLOW CONVERSATION WITH VISITORS, WITH BULLETPROOF GLASS ONE METER HIGH WITH DECORATIVE GRILLE FROM TOP OF GLASS TO CEILING. ESTIMATED COST \$15,000.00.

2. A NEW ARMOREC CONSULAR SERVICE COUNTER WILL BE CONSTRUCTED IN NEW WAITING ROOM. THIS COUNTER WILL INCLUDE ALARM DEVICES AND WILL HAVE BULLETPROOF GLASS ONE METER HIGH WITH DECORATIVE GRILLE FROM TOP OF GLASS TO CEILING. ESTIMATED COST \$5.000.00.

H. COMMUNICATIONS

- 1. INSTALLATION OF SPEAKER SYSTEM IN SCC DISCUSSED, AND COST INCLUDED IN G.1. ABOVE.
- 2. PURCHASE ONE BATTERY POWERED LOUD HAILER (BULLHORN, MEGA-PHONE) FOR CROWD CONTROL. ESTIMATED COST \$125.00.
- I. A. PROPERTY LONG-TERM LEASED CHIEF OF MISSION RESIDENCE.

B. PHYSICAL SECURITY BARRIERS - ARMOR DOORS IN FAMILY AREA TO PROVIDE SAFEHAVEN. ESTIMATED COST \$400.00.

C. WINDOW PROTECTION - NO CHANGES NECESSARY.

D. LOCAL GUARD FORCES - CONTRACT FOR A TRAINED PROFESSIONAL GUARD AND GUARD DOG FOR TWENTY-FOUR HOUR COVERAGE OF IMMEDIATE RESIDENCE AREA OF EXPANSIVE RESIDENCE GROUNDS. ACTUAL COST \$37,200.00 PER YEAR.

E. MARINE SECURITY GUARD - NO CHANGES NECESSARY.

F. TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT

- 1. INSTALL SPOTLIGHT AT VEHICULAR ENTRANCE TO RESIDENCE COMPOUND TO ENABLE GATE GUARDS TO EASILY IDENTIFY VISITORS DURING HOURS OF DARKNESS. ESTIMATED COST \$100.00
- 2. INCREASE RESIDENCE PERIMETER LIGHTING TO PROVIDE BETTER CONFIDENTIAL

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INTRUSION DETECTION. ESTIMATED COST \$10,000.00

- 3. ADD ONE ADDITIONAL INTRUSION ALARM TO EXISTING ALARM SYSTEM TO PROVIDE COVERAGE IN GARAGING AREA OF OFFICIAL VEHICLE. ESTIMATED COST \$250.00
- G. LOBBY CONTROLS AND EQUIPMENT NO CHANGES NECESSARY.
- H. COMMUNICATION
- 1. EXPAND EXISTING EMBASSY RADIO NET TO PROVIDE THREE WALKIE-TALKIE SETS; ONE EACH FOR THE FAMILY SAFEHAVEN AREA IN THE RESIDENCE AND FOR EACH OF THE EXTERIOR GUARDS. ESTIMATED COST \$2400.00.
- 2. INSTALL ONE ADDITIONAL TELEPHONE EXTENSION TO THE GUARD HUT TO PROVIDE MEANS OF COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE GUARD HUT AND THE RESIDENCE AND THE ENTRY GATE. ESTIMATED COST \$500.00.

III. SUMMARY COMMENTS.

1. TOTAL ESTIMATED COST:

CHANCERY \$67,820.00 RESIDENCE \$50,850.00 TOTAL \$118,670.00

COSTS ESTIMATED ARE GUESTIMATES IN MOST INSTANCES. RECENTLY COM-

PLETED RTC TEAM REVIEWS IDENTIFIED IMPROVEMENTS REQUIRED, BUT FULL REPORT HAS NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED AND COST IDENTIFICATION THROUGH SUPPLIER AND BUILDER ESTIMATES HAVE NOT BEEN OBTAINED. ACCURATE COST DATA AND SUPPORTING DESIGNS, SPECIFICATIONS AND SKETCHES WILL BE SUBMITTED WHEN OBTAINED.

2. EMBASSY HAS BEEN, AND CONTINUES TO BE, MOST CONCERNED OVER EASY PUBLIC ACCESS TO CHANCERY. WHILE SOME TIGHTENING CONTROLS HAVE BEEN INITIATED, CONFIGURATION OF ENTRANCEWAY DOES NOT PERMIT CHANGES NECESSARY TO ALLOW FULL SECURITY CONTROL. RTC TEAM IDENTIFIED BROAD RANGE OF IMPROVEMENTS NECESSARY, WHICH REQUIRE COMPLETE REALLOCATION OF FIRST FLOOR OFFICE SPACE AND REDESIGN OF ENTRANCE. POST WILL MOVE AHEAD AS RAPIDLY AS CONFIDENTIAL

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POSSIBLE TO COMPLETE THESE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY SECURITY IMPROVEMENTS. CURLEY

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